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TO-DAY:

Per Clyde, from Yokohama, for London, Mr.

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Melbourne, Misses Cadle and Lowe, for Ham-

burg, Mr. A. C. L. L. for Liverpool, Mr.

McLennan, Misses L. L. for Liverpool, Mr.

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F. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Morley, Mr. and

Mrs. D. Cameron, Miss A. C. Twining, Miss

K. D. Cameron, Count Monti, for Singapore,

Mr. H. W. Stevens, Mrs. Christies, and

Mrs. Kempf.

VESSELS IN DOCK:

Kowloon Docks—Ish. de Cuba, Ida de

Luzon, Sims, H.M.S. Whiting, H.L.G.M.

Hertie, Iris, Powan, Robilia, Clara, Empress of

Japan, Hispaniola, Don Juan de Austria,

Holstein.

TO-DAY:

Meeting of Watkins Limited, at 12 o'clock,

Action of Postage Stamp, at Stamps Room,

Ice House Street, Messrs Hughes andough

at 2:30 p.m.

Hongkong Rifle Association, Spoon Competition

at 2:45 p.m.

The Kowloon Company, at the Theatre Royal at 3 p.m.

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THE following cargo is lying unclaimed in

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TO-DAY (SATURDAY), 30th December, will

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Ex Detachment arrived 3rd November, 1899.

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Ex Detachment arrived 9th August, 1899.

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EDWARD OSBORNE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 2nd December, 1899. [2010]

TIME TABLE.

7:30 a.m. to 5:30 a.m. Every quarter of an hour.

8:00 a.m. to 5:30 a.m. Every quarter of an hour.

8:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Every quarter of an hour.

10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.

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3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.

3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Every ten minutes.

Night cars at 8:45 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. and from 9:45

p.m. to 11:15 p.m. every half-hour.

SATURDAY:

Exira Night car at 11:30 and 11:45 p.m.

SUNDAY:

9:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Every half-hour.

10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Every ten minutes.

Noon to 2:30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.

2:45 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.

Night cars at 8:45 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. and from

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JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Manager.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1899. [2029]

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Hongkong, 8th December, 1899. [2030]

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

THE PUNJAB MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are hereby notified that the MEETING advertised for Wednesday next, the 13th December, 1899, will NOT take place.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. H. GASKELL, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 9th December, 1899. [301]

DILIGENTIA LODGE OF INSTRUCTION.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above Lodge will be held at the FREEMASONS' HALL, Wellington Street, on THURSDAY, the 14th instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, 9th December, 1899. [3069]

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considerable expenditure to accomplish that object. Trapping, however, will fail to produce any appreciable effect upon the numbers of the rat population. Two characteristics of the rat are its cunning, which renders it difficult to trap, and its fecundity, which soon makes good any diminution in its numbers resulting from special causes. Vast numbers of rats must have been carried off by the successive epidemics of plague—for more than are at all likely to be caught in traps—yet to all appearance they swarm as freely in the colony to-day as they did before the disease made its first appearance. The meat that can be said in favour of trapping is, that Dr. Clark put it, that it will do no harm to set a few rat-traps. If any serious impression is to be made on the rat population it will have to be by introducing some natural enemy. A suggestion made in a local paragraph a short time ago that the rat population might be kept in check by encouraging an increase of the cat population was received with some ridicule, but it would at least yield better results than the adoption of the Sanitary Board's suggestion.

Further cases of plague have occurred at Kowloon.

In the list of contributions to the Patriotic Fund published yesterday "B. J." was a misprint for "D. J."

A dividend of a shilling per share has been declared on the shares of the British Australian Gold Mining Co., Limited, payable on the 15th January, and call of the same amount has been made.

The match between the Hongkong Football Club and the Engineers' Institute will take place on the Club ground at the Happy Valley kick-off at four o'clock. In consequence of manoeuvres the Shield to be arranged for to-day will not be played.

The twelve subscription griffins which arrived by the Amara were given to Mr. Dr. Jordan, the Hon. J. R. Keast, Mr. J. H. Lewis, Mr. Newrope, Mr. Aspinwall, Mr. J. McKie, the Hon. F. H. May, Mr. D. Gillies, Major Sir H. M. Macdonald, Mr. Paul Jordan, Mr. Jepp, and Mr. C. Hawkin,

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